

FINAL REPORT ON TOBACCO CROP, 1912.

OUT OF 13 MARKETS KINGSTREE STANDS FIFTH-LAKE CITY LEADS THE STATE.

A report issued recently from the State Department of Agriculture shows that there were 24,227,912 pounds of tobacco produced in South Carolina this year and that the crop was sent to the market for \$2,653,443.68. Reports were received from 13 markets and 33 warehouses, all located in the Pee Dee section of the State.

The total crop in 1911 was 11,101,906, which brought only \$1,352,462.84. The crop this year shows an increase of 12,236,906 pounds, which was worth \$1,352,462.84.

Commissioner Watson in making public the figures for the tobacco crop of 1912 said that this crop was only 1,000,000 pounds less than the great crop of 1909 and came within about 2,000,000 pounds of the greatest crop ever raised in the State, which was in the year 1900; he said that he was particularly gratified to note that the crop this year brought to the farmers who grew it the handsome sum of \$2,653,443.68, which was just exactly \$1,320,980.84 more than the crop of 1911 netted the growers. It is noteworthy, also, he said, that the production more than doubled the production of the preceding year. This was true, notwithstanding the fact that the average yield per acre this year was only 690 pounds against 810 last year and a ten-year average of 746.

Mr. Watson also called attention to the fact that this year South Carolina produced very nearly as much tobacco as Connecticut, nearly one-half as much as Pennsylvania, one-fourth as much as Maryland and North Carolina, respectively, and nearly one-half as much as Tennessee, and has now taken rank among the tobacco growing States.

Markets.	Pounds.	Amount.
Conway	156,134	\$ 10,250.42
Darlington	416,803	27,772.75
Dillon	114,496	8,123.89
Florence	228,018	23,224.71
Kingstree	417,123	38,204.82
Lake City	1,108,785	83,810.07
Loris	278,841	20,974.25
Manning	177,953	13,501.28
Marion	213,002	19,683.51
Mullins	709,866	49,707.56
Nichols	414,353	31,160.03
Olanda	175,280	15,634.98
Timmonsville	539,431	39,871.68
Total	5,064,085	\$381,604.95

Markets.	Pounds.	Amount.
Conway	613,519	\$ 72,881.38
Darlington	1,936,780	221,375.53
Dillon	230,756	26,830.96
Florence	1,098,047	128,681.59
Kingstree	1,157,204	124,295.50
Lake City	3,165,051	384,269.33
Loris	438,407	38,640.48
Manning	702,597	76,709.18
Marion	894,807	108,826.64
Mullins	2,915,817	363,917.09
Nichols	1,338,136	162,145.51
Olanda	218,401	23,714.43
Timmonsville	1,451,608	165,207.13
Total	16,209,180	\$1,906,995.25

Markets.	Pounds.	Amount.
Conway	65,938	\$ 7,887.88
Darlington	528,680	63,024.50
Dillon	49,980	5,286.50
Florence	235,196	29,005.07
Kingstree	152,535	17,378.31
Lake City	546,656	68,421.13
Loris	34,651	3,991.27
Manning	107,616	11,335.87
Marion	126,066	15,559.92
Mullins	636,183	78,693.91
Nichols	165,657	20,421.99
Olanda	18,832	2,134.56
Timmonsville	396,717	47,602.67
Total	3,064,697	\$364,848.48

Markets.	Pounds.	Amount.
Conway	835,591	\$ 90,520.18
Darlington	2,881,263	312,172.78
Dillon	395,232	40,241.35
Florence	1,621,251	180,911.37
Kingstree	1,780,862	179,878.63
Lake City	4,820,492	576,500.53
Loris	799,899	77,706.00
Manning	988,166	101,846.33
Marion	1,233,875	138,455.07
Mullins	4,261,866	487,513.56
Nichols	1,919,146	213,727.53
Olanda	412,513	41,488.97
Timmonsville	2,387,756	252,681.38
Total	24,337,912	\$2,653,443.68

Only a Fire Hero

but the crowd cheered, as, with burned hands, he held up a small round box, "Fellows!" he shouted, "this Bucklen's Arnica Salve I hold, has everything beat for burns." Right! also for boils, ulcers, sores, pimples, eczema, cuts, sprains, bruises. Surest pile cure. It subdues inflammation, kills pain. Only 25 cents at M. L. Allen's. adv.

A Box Party.

There will be a box party at the Bethel school house on Tuesday, December 3, for the benefit of said school. Everybody is invited to attend. 1tp.

ROBBERY AND BLOODSHED.

Aged Man Held up by Negroes—One Negro Killed by Posse.

Newberry, November 23.—As he was driving home from Prosperity, in the lower section of the county, last night, Magistrate P. B. Ellison was held up by two negroes at the point of a pistol and relieved of \$25. The negroes took Magistrate Ellison's buggy and drove down the road a piece and then started the mule back towards Prosperity with the empty buggy. They caught a freight car at Prosperity and went on to Pomaria. The people at Pomaria had been notified and were on the lookout, but the suspected negroes managed to get off the freight and rode on a switch engine to Peak, just across Broad river, in Lexington county.

When a posse attempted to arrest them there they fired upon the posse, injuring Mr. J. E. Epting, proprietor of the Peak hotel, and Mr. J. T. Gallows, who is in charge of a Southern railway construction force. The posse returned the fire, fatally injuring one of the negroes, but the other escaped. The injured negro, died this morning. Sheriff Buford and Constable Bleasdale went to the scene as soon as they received notice of the robbery of Magistrate Ellison and made diligent search for the other negro, but failed to locate him.

CHAINED TO TREE AND SHOT.

Negro Charged with Murder Lynched in Newberry County.

Newberry, November 23.—Will Thomas, a negro, was taken from a magistrate's constable by a party of masked men at a point about 14 miles above Newberry at about 10 o'clock last night, chained to a tree and his body riddled with bullets. The negro was being brought to the Newberry jail by Constable Cary G. Johnson, on a warrant charging him with the murder of Spurgeon Johnson, a white man, who was assassinated in the upper section of the county, near the Laurens line, some weeks ago.

The warrant had been issued by Magistrate William Dorroh, and the negro was arrested in the community in which Johnson was killed.

Constable Johnson was halted by the mob at a point in some thick woods just beyond Little river bridge. He says when the mob approached him they demanded the prisoner and that he refused to deliver him over and shot off his pistol, thinking to bluff the mob. He says he was told that if he did that again he would be killed and that he was then entirely surrounded by the masked men and had to surrender. He says the mob then told him to get down the road quickly and he obeyed. They struck his mule, he says, and before he got very far he heard the firing of guns and pistols. He says he thinks he heard over a hundred shots.

He and Magistrate Dorroh went to the scene this morning and found the dead body of the negro still chained to the tree. Magistrate Dorroh immediately notified Sheriff Buford. The latter had just returned from a trip in the lower part of the county, where there was considerable disturbance last night, and in company with Constable Cannon G. Bleasdale and others he left immediately for the scene.

It was impossible to elicit any further facts than those given by the magistrate's constable. Coroner John Henry Chappell held an inquest, the verdict being that the negro came to his death at the hands of unknown parties.

"There could be no better medicine than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. My children were all sick with whooping cough. One of them was in bed, had a high fever and was coughing up blood. Our doctor gave them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the first dose eased them, and three bottles cured them," says Mrs. R. A. Donaldson, of Lexington, Miss. For sale by all dealers. adv.

Before using table oilcloth paste at each corner on the wrong side a square of cotton. This prevents the corners from wearing out as soon as they otherwise would.

Porto Rico's New Wonder.

From far away Porto Rico come reports of a wonderful new discovery that is believed will vastly benefit the people. Ramon T. Marchan, of Barcelona, writes "Dr. King's New Discovery is doing splendid work here. It cured me about five times of terrible coughs and colds, also my brother of a severe cold in his chest and more than 20 others, who used it on my advice. We hope this great medicine will yet be sold in every drug store in Porto Rico." For throat and lung troubles it has no equal. A trial will convince you of its merit. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by M. L. Allen. adv.

Women!

If weak, you need Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is made from gentle herbs, acts in a natural manner, and has no bad results, as some of the strong drugs sometimes used. As a medicine—a tonic—for weak, tired, worn-out women, Cardui has been a popular success for over 50 years.

Take CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Lula Walden, of Gramlin, S. C., followed this advice. Read her letter: "I was so weak, when I first began to take Cardui, that it tired me to walk just a little. Now, I can do all the general housework, for a family of 9." Try Cardui for your troubles. It may be the very remedy you need.

Legal Advertisements.

Citation Notice.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG, Court of Common Pleas. By P. M. Brockinton, Esq., Probate Judge.

Whereas, W. E. Ward made suit to me to grant him letters of administration of the estate of and effects of W. A. Ward,

These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said W. A. Ward, deceased, that they be and appear before me in the Court of Probate, to be held at Kingstree, S. C., on the 9th day of December next after publication thereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand this 25th day of November, Anno Domini, 1912.

Published on the 28th day of November, 1912, in The County Record.

P. M. BROCKINTON, Probate Judge.

Tax Notice.

The tax books will be open for collection of taxes for year 1912 on the 15th day of October next. Tax levy as follows:

For State.....5% mills
" Ordinary County.....3%
" Roads.....1
" Changang and Bridges.....1
" Con Sch.....3

A tax of 50c on cogs.
For High School in Kingstree.....2
" retiring bonds.....2
" " Greelyville 4

All parties between the ages of 21 and 60 years, inclusive, are liable, unless exempted by law, to a poll tax of \$1.00, also a commutation tax of \$2.00.

Levy for special school districts as follows:

Nos. 19, 25, 32, 34, 40, 43, 47, 49, 53, 55 and 56—3 mills.
No. 31—8 mills.
Nos. 6, 16, 22, 26, 28, 29, 36, 37, 39, 41, 42, 45, 46, 48, 50, 51 and 52—4 mills.
No. 23—12 mills.
No. 24—6
No. 27—7

Stock law fence on all stock in Suttons and part of Anderson and Penn townships—mills.

Upon all unpaid taxes after December 31 a penalty of 1% will be added for January, 1% for February and 5% to 15th day of March next, after which the books will be closed and executions issued upon all unpaid taxes.

By an act amending Sec. 397 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina the county Treasurer is prohibited from leaving his office for the purpose of collecting taxes, therefore I can make no outside appointments for the collection of taxes.

Those who desire to pay their taxes through the mail would expedite matters by dropping the Treasurer a postal asking for the amount of their tax, so as to avoid sending the wrong amount, also stating the township or townships (if property is owned in more than one) and if possible give school district where property is located; also state whether poll or road tax, or both, are wanted. After paying taxes examine your receipts and see if all your property is covered; if not, see about it at once.

By following the above suggestions complications and additional cost may be avoided.

J. WESLEY COOK, 9-19-11-26 County Treasurer.

Final Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1912, at 12 o'clock noon, I will apply to P. M. Brockinton, Judge of Probate of Williamsburg county, for Letters Dismissory as Administrator of the estate of James McClary, deceased.

JANE MCCLARY, Administratrix.

11-28-4t

Final Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1912, at 12 o'clock noon, I will apply to P. M. Brockinton, Judge of Probate for Williamsburg county, for Letters Dismissory as Administrator of the estate of Julius Fulton, deceased.

G. J. DAVIS, Administrator.

11-7-4tp

Notice of Application for Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that I, as guardian for the estate of Mary Pitts McClary, will render my final account to the Judge of Probate for Williamsburg county on December 2, 1912, and, at the same time, will apply to the said Judge of Probate for my discharge as such guardian.

S. W. MCCLARY, Guardian for Estate Mary Pitts McClary.

11-7-4t

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of F. M. Britton, Sr., deceased, have been granted me, and all creditors are hereby directed to present statements duly attested, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment to the undersigned.

T. W. BRITTON, Administrator Estate F. M. Britton, Sr.

11-14-4t

Notice of Application for Final Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will make application on the 30th day of November, 1912, at eleven o'clock a. m., to the Honorable P. M. Brockinton, Judge of Probate of Williamsburg county, for his final discharge as administrator of the estate of F. G. Green, deceased, and that at said time a full accounting will be made to the said Probate Judge of his actings and doings as such administrator.

Dated at Kingstree, S. C., this, the 28th day of October, 1912.

F. P. GUERRY, Administrator of the Estate of F. G. Green, deceased.

10-31-5t

Summons for Relief.

(COMPLAINT SERVED).

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG, Court of Common Pleas.

Jessie Simmons, an infant, by J. Wesley Cook, her Guardian ad Litem, Plaintiff, against

Louis Simmons, Stewart Simmons, Verdie Simmons, Wilbur Simmons, Harlan Simmons, Rosamond Simmons and Emily M. Simmons, Defendants.

To the absent Defendant, Stewart Simmons:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the undersigned at their office in Kingstree, S. C., within twenty days after the service thereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

KELLEY & HINDS, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Dated October 24, A. D. 1912.

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE—That the complaint in the above entitled action is filed in the office of the Clerk of the court of common pleas for Williamsburg county.

KELLEY & HINDS, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY, Court of Common Pleas.

Jessie Simmons, an infant over the age of fourteen years, by her Guardian ad Litem, J. Wesley Cook, Plaintiff.

vs.

Louis Simmons, Stewart Simmons, Verdie Simmons, Wilbur Simmons, Harlan Simmons, Rosamond Simmons and Emily M. Simmons, Defendants.

NOTICE

To Stewart Simmons, absent infant Defendant over the age of fourteen years:

TAKE NOTICE—That unless you procure the appointment of a guardian ad litem to appear and defend this action for you and on your behalf, within twenty days after the service of the summons and complaint herein upon you, an application will be made to H. O. Britton, Clerk of this court, at his office in Kingstree, S. C., by the undersigned at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day after the service hereof, for an order appointing some suitable and competent person guardian ad litem to appear and defend this action on your behalf.

KELLEY & HINDS, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Kingstree, S. C., October 24, 1912.

10-24-6t

Sale in Partition.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG, Court of Common Pleas.

S. B. Poston, Plaintiff, against

N. M. Venters, Julia E. Burgess, George Walker and Linguish Walker, Defendants.

Pursuant to the decree made in the above entitled cause by his Honor, Judge T. H. Spain, and dated the 7th day of November, 1912, I will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the court house in Kingstree on salesday in December next, being the 2nd day of the month, and within the usual hours of sale, the following described premises:

All that piece, parcel and tract of land lying and being in Johnson township, county and State aforesaid, measuring and containing twenty-eight (28) acres, more or less, and butting and bounding as follows: North by the public road leading from Smith's Mills to Johnsonville; East by lands of Marlboro Sparkman; South by lands of Thomas Generette and West by the Johnson lands and Longwood plantation.

Terms of sale, cash; purchaser to pay for papers.

GEORGE J. GRAHAM, 11-14-3t Sheriff Williamsburg county.

Summons for Relief.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG, Court of Common Pleas.

J. W. Bennett, Plaintiff, vs.

Prince Gamble and Frank Gamble, Defendants.

To the Defendants, Prince Gamble and Frank Gamble:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of

Notice of Limited Partnership.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that the undersigned have and by this agreement do form a partnership with limited liability:

First. Under the name of NESMITH MERCANTILE COMPANY.

Second. For the conduct of a general mercantile business.

Third. The name of the general partner is H. P. Tallevast, of Nesmith, S. C. The names of the special partners are B. L. Nesmith, of Nesmith, S. C.; J. B. Tallevast, of Fowler, S. C., and William McCullough, of Nesmith, S. C.

Fourth. The amount of the capital stock which each of the special partners has contributed to the common stock is as follows:

B. L. Nesmith.....\$500 00
J. B. Tallevast.....500 00
William McCullough.....500 00—\$1,500 cash.

Fifth. The partnership is to begin on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1912, and continue to the 19th day of August, A. D. 1917.

Witness our hands and seals at Nesmith, S. C., on this 19th day of August, A. D. 1912.

(Signed) H. P. TALLEVAST, (SEAL)
(Signed) B. L. NESMITH, (SEAL)
(Signed) J. B. TALLEVAST, (SEAL)
(Signed) WILLIAM MCCULLOUGH, (SEAL)

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG. Proof.

Personally appeared before me R. J. Nesmith, who on oath says that he was present and saw H. P. Tallevast, B. L. Nesmith, J. B. Tallevast and William McCullough sign, seal and as their act and deed deliver the foregoing Certificate of Limited Partnership and that he with W. F. Clark witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me this 19th day of August, A. D. 1912.

(SEAL) VAN D. HARPER, Notary Public for South Carolina.

R. J. NESMITH.

Notice of Limited Partnership.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that the undersigned have and by this agreement do form a partnership with limited liability:

First. Under the firm or name of NESMITH GIN COMPANY.

Second. For the conduct of a general cotton ginni business.

Third. The name of the general partner is H. P. Tallevast, of Nesmith, S. C. The names of the special partners are R. J. Nesmith, of Nesmith, S. C.; B. L. Nesmith, of Nesmith, S. C., and J. B. Tallevast, of Fowler, S. C.

Fourth. The amount of the capital stock which each of the special partners has contributed to the common stock is as follows:

R. J. Nesmith.....\$1,000 00 cash.
B. L. Nesmith.....1,000 00
J. B. Tallevast.....1,000 00—\$3,000 00 cash.

Fifth. The partnership is to begin on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1912, and to continue to the 19th day of August, A. D. 1917.

Witness our hands and seals at Nesmith, S. C., on this 19th day of August, A. D. 1912.

(Signed) H. P. TALLEVAST, (SEAL)
(Signed) R. J. NESMITH, (SEAL)
(Signed) B. L. NESMITH, (SEAL)
(Signed) J. B. TALLEVAST, (SEAL)

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Williamsburg. Proof.

Personally comes William McCullough, who on oath says that he was present and saw H. P. Tallevast, R. J. Nesmith, B. L. Nesmith and J. B. Tallevast sign, seal and as their act and deed deliver the foregoing Certificate of Limited Partnership; and that he with W. F. Clark witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me this 19th day of August, A. D. 1912.

(SEAL) VAN D. HARPER, Notary Public for South Carolina.

WILLIAM MCCULLOUGH, deponent.

your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in Kingstree, S. C., within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

LEROY LEE, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Dated October 16, 1912.

To the absent Defendant, Frank Gamble: TAKE NOTICE—That the original summons in this action, of which the foregoing is a copy, together with the complaint, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the court of common pleas of Williamsburg county, State of South Carolina, on the 16th day of October, A. D. 1912.

LEROY LEE, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Dated October 16, 1912. 10-24-6t

Foreclosure Sale.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY, Court of Common Pleas.

NOTICE.

F. Rhem and D. D. Rhem, co-partners trading under the firm name of F. Rhem & Sons, Plaintiffs, vs.

Rosa Cooper, Clara McCants, Alvin Cooper, Frances Cooper, Billie Cooper, Henry Cooper, Hugh James Cooper, Lear Cooper, Gussie Belle Cooper and Hester Cooper; and W. G. Carter and E. F. Prosser, co-partners trading under the firm name of Prosser & Carter, Defendants.

Pursuant to the judgment in the above entitled action dated the second day of November, 1912, I will offer for sale before the court house door in Kingstree, South Carolina, on the second day of December, A. D. 1912, between the legal hours for sales, the same being salesday, the first Monday in December, to the highest bidder therefor for cash, the following premises, to wit:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land lying, being and situate in Williamsburg county, State of South Carolina, and containing fifty-five acres, more or less, and bounded North by lands of Sam Cooper; East by lands of estate of J. A. Green and Evander Hanna; South by lands of estate of J. A. Green and West by lands of estate of J. A. Green. Said lands were purchased from J. A. Haynesworth and were formerly owned by William Cooper, and surveyed by H. E. Eaddy, October 12, 1898.

Purchaser to pay for papers.

GEO. J. GRAHAM, 11-14-3t Sheriff Williamsburg county.

Judge of Probate's Sale

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG.

In the Probate Court.

DECREE FOR SALE OF LAND IN AID OF ASSETS.

S. R. Pipkin, duly qualified executor of the estate of J. G. Pipkin, Sr., deceased, Plaintiff, against

Martha E. Pipkin, S. R. Pipkin, J. G. Pipkin, Jr., and Isla Olivia Cantley, Gordon Guyton Cantley, Myrtle Gertrude Cantley, Effie Elizabeth Cantley, Carrie Eva Cantley, Mason Bass Cantley, Virginia Cantley, Ruby Cantley, 10-24-tf

Valuable Farm for Sale

The old Charley Huggins place, containing one hundred and thirty acres, sixty-five acres cleared, balance timbered land, situated in the eastern part of Williamsburg county, on the road leading from Johnsonville to Kingstree, 4 miles from Johnsonville, 3 1/2 miles from Hemingway and G. & W. R. R., 3 miles from Johnsonville church and high school. Fine farming land; some of the land produces one bale and more of cotton per acre, and one of the best drained places in the county. One 6-room dwelling and dining and cook room, one store house, one tobacco barn, one 4-room tenant house and all necessary outbuildings. Fine water and fruit orchard and healthy locality. Apply to F. E. HUGGINS, Chapman P. O., S. C.